## AMENDED IN ASSEMBLY APRIL 7, 2005

CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE—2005–06 REGULAR SESSION

## ASSEMBLY BILL

No. 1730

## **Introduced by Assembly Members La Malfa and Matthews**

February 22, 2005

An act to repeal Sections 12811.5 and Section 12837 of the Food and Agricultural Code, relating to pesticide.

## LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 1730, as amended, La Malfa. Pesticide registration.

Existing law requires every manufacturer of, importer of, or dealer in any pesticide to obtain a certificate of registration from the Department of Pesticide Regulation before the pesticide is offered for sale. Existing law provides that data previously submitted to the Director of Pesticide Regulation or to the Administrator of the United States Environmental Protection Agency to support an application for the registration of a pesticide shall not be used without permission to support an application by another person. Existing law also provides that the director may waive the submission or review, or both of efficacy data developed by a registrant as a prerequisite for registration, as specified.

This bill would repeal provisions relating to department use of previously submitted data and the ability of the director to waive the submission of efficacy data. This bill would state legislative intent to address the letter of authorization process.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes. State-mandated local program: no.

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The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 12811.5 of the Food and Agricultural
- 2 Code is repealed.
- 3 SEC. 2.
- 4 SECTION 1. Section 12837 of the Food and Agricultural
- 5 Code is repealed.
- 6 SEC. 2. It is the intent of the Legislature to address the letter
- 7 of authorization process.